

Title	Nitrite Analysis
Specimen Requirements	Samples will be accepted from the public for a fee of \$8.00 per analysis. Samples from state government agencies and County Health Departments will be accepted at no charge.
Sampling Materials	Nitrite kits can be requested from the Indiana State Department of Health Laboratories Containers Area 317-921-5874. The kit contains • Instruction form• Analysis request form• Ice pack• One 125 mL plastic bottle.
Procedural Notes	Place the ice pack in the freezer overnight. Do not rinse the sample container. Flush the sample tap for five (5) minutes prior to collecting the sample. Reduce the flow of the water and fill the sample container to the shoulder of the bottle. Replace and tighten the cap to prevent sample leaking. Complete the analysis request form. Place the sample bottle with the frozen ice pack and the analysis request form in the mailing container.
Shipping Instructions	<p>The sample must be delivered to the Indiana State Department of Health to allow the laboratory to receive and complete the test before the sample is 48 hours old.</p> <p>Mail or return to: Indiana State Department of Health Laboratories 550 W 16th Street, Suite B Indianapolis, IN 46202-2203</p>
Reporting and TAT	The report will be mailed within 15 days after receiving the sample.